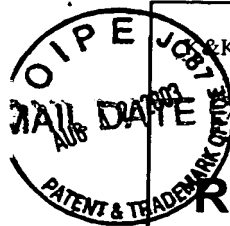


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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)

TRANSMITTAL FORM (37 C.F.R. § 1.114)

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This is a **request for continued examination** under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 (RCE) of pending application Serial No. 09/915,853 filed on July 26, 2001, entitled THERAPEUTIC ANGIOGENESIS BY BONE MARROW-DERIVED CELL TRANSPLANTATION IN MYOCARDIAL ISCHEMIC TISSUE AND SKELETAL MUSCLE ISCHEMIC TISSUE

The following constitute the submission **required** by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(a) and is attached:

- ☒ Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, in response to the Final Office Action dated April 9, 2003.
☐ Information Disclosure Statement
☐ Drawing Changes

1. The filing fee for this RCE and the required amendment/submission is calculated below. The fee below is calculated based on the status of the claims after the entry of the attached amendment/submission. The fee for any new additional claims is included with this RCE, the fee for previously entered additional claims having already been paid.

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	MINUS	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT NUMBER EXTRA*	RATE (\$) PER CLAIM	FEE (\$)
BASIC FEE						750.00
TOTAL CLAIMS	21		69	0	18.00	0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	5		7	0	84.00	0.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					280.00	
				*Number extra must be zero or larger	TOTAL	750.00
If Applicant is a small entity under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27, then divide total fee by 2, and enter amount here.						SMALL ENTITY TOTAL 0.00

2. Please charge the required RCE and submission filing fee of **\$750.00** to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon**, deposit account number **11-0600**.
3. Applicant requests a further one month extension of time to respond to the Final Office Action mailed April 9, 2003. This instant request extends the response date to August 11, 2003 (August 9, 2003 being a Saturday).
4. Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) extension fee of **\$110.00** to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon**, deposit account number **11-0600**. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any additional fees and credit any overpayment to Deposit Account number 11-0600. A copy of this communication is attached for charging purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: August 11, 2003

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